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## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

A. M. Gilbert et al.

Date: 21 April 2005

Group Art Unit:

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IBM Corporation

Examiner:

Paula. W. Klimach

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Endicott, NY 13760

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ARCHITECTING A SECURE SOLUTION

Mail Stop NonFee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(A)

I hereby certify that the enclosed or attached correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Mail Stop NonFee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria,

VA 22313-1450 on

Date of Denosit

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## REQUEST AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

- 1. This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.
- 2. Applicant is other than a small entity.
- 3. Extension period and fee:

		Fee for other than
	(months)	small entity
	one month	\$ 120.00
	two months	\$ 450.00
	three months	\$ 1,020.00
	four months	\$ 1,590.00

Fee: \$1,020.00

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## 4. Fee Payment

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 09-0457. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: 21 April 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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